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Honorable Commissioner for Patents P. 0. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Re: Filing of Application "Masticatory-Releasable Dentifrice Article". by Todd A. BLAND entitled

Enclosed herewith for filing, please find the above-identified patent application including two(2) sheets of drawings and nine(9) claims.

cover the Statutory filing fee for these nine(9) claims ("small entity status") . Attached is my verified statement claiming "small entity stin the amount of \$375.00 to

Early favorable ACTION on the enclosed/filed patent application nine(9) claims is courteously solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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